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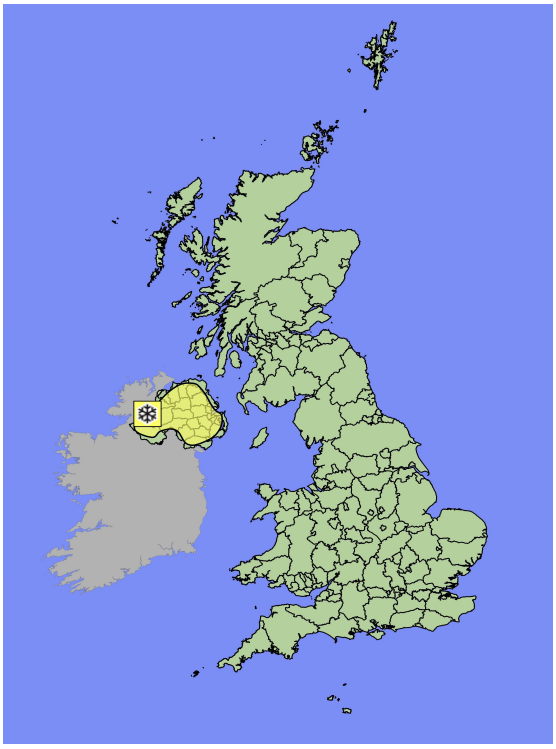

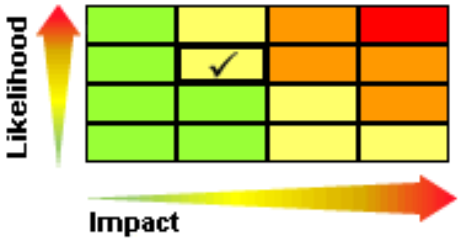

Chief Forecasters Assessment
An Atlantic frontal system moves in from the west today, encountering the much colder air which has become established across the UK in recent days. While rain is expected in most places, the situation is finely balanced, and sleet or snow may readily fall on higher ground, or at lower-level given any heavier outbreaks. Across Northern Ireland in particular, there is a chance of a temporary period of heavier sleet or wet snow, which could lead to some localised disruption.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Snow**

Valid from **10:00 on Thu, 07th Feb 2013** until **18:00 on Thu, 07th Feb 2013**

Rain moving eastwards across Northern Ireland from late morning into this afternoon is likely to turn to snow in places. There is a chance of 5 cm of snow on ground above 200 m, and perhaps 1-3 cm in places at low levels.

The public should be aware of possible disruption to travel.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

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  - County Down
  - County Fermanagh
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